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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

June 20, 2002

Re: Serial No.: 09/500,380 Docket No.: RR-1645  
Inventor(s): Knapp et al.  
Title: SUBMICRON TRACK-WIDTH POLE-TIPS FOR  
ELECTROMAGNETIC TRANSDUCERS  
Assignee: Read-Rite Corp. Filing Date: February 8, 2000  
Examiner: C. Renner Group Art Unit: 2652



Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- (1) Amendment (18 pages);
- (2) Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages);
- (3) Marked-Up Drawings (2 pages);
- (4) Marked-Up Specification (3 pages);
- (5) Marked-Up Claims (3 pages);
- (6) Return Postcard; and
- (7) This Transmittal Sheet.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	64	minus	81	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	7	minus	10	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
Total Additional Claim Fee Due						\$0.00
ADDITIONAL FEES DUE						
Fee for Extension of Time ( month period)						\$0.00
Total Amount Due						\$0.00

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail on the date indicated below and is addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

June 20, 2002  
Date

  
Mark Lauer

Respectfully Submitted,



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